

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of	:	
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J. ERIK HITZELBERGER et al.	:	Examiner: Theresa T. Snider
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Serial No.: 10/764,401	:	Group Art Unit: 1744
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Filed: January 23, 2004	:	
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For: FLOOR CARE APPARATUS WITH MULTIPLE AGITATOR SPEEDS AND CONSTANT SUCTION POWER		

**AMENDMENT**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 15, 2006, please amend the application as follows:

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS** begin on page 9 of this paper and include one attached Replacement Sheet and one Annotated Sheet showing changes.

**REMARKS** begin thereafter on page 10.

An **APPENDIX** including an amended drawing figure is attached following page 15 of this paper.